



# Cabin Fever Math!

*FREE Activities for Helping  
Your Kids with Math*



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# **Stuck at Home and Staring at Screens**

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- Online learning is replacing school
- Kids already glued to video games and Snapchat
- Parents working from home are occupied

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**Every crisis is an  
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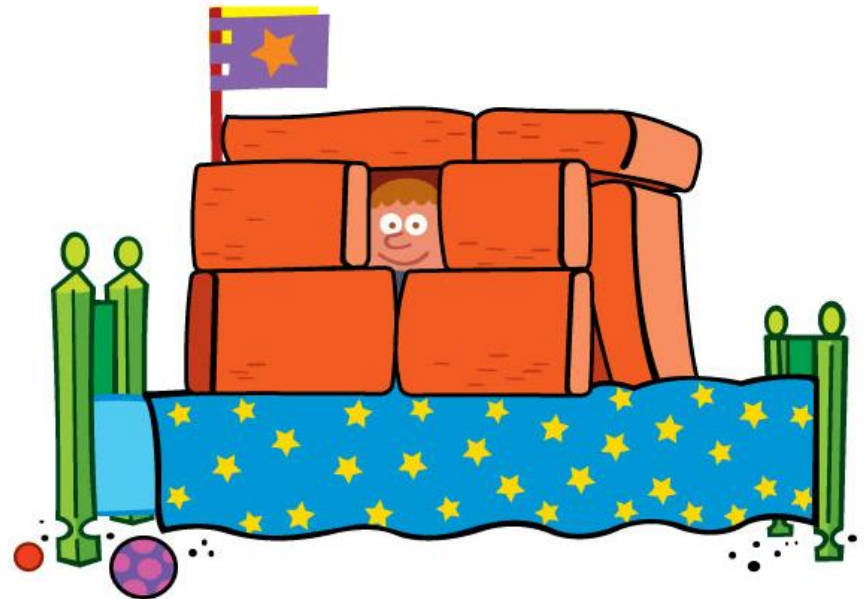
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**\* Stanford MRI study**

# An Idea from Our Own Home

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- Nightly math, just like a bedtime story
- No pencil or paper
- Three levels of challenge
- Kid-appealing topics related to real life



# Example: Chickens Playing the Xylophone





# 2012: Bedtime Math

- Daily email, app, website
- Books
- 290,000+ app downloads
- Research-proven impact\*

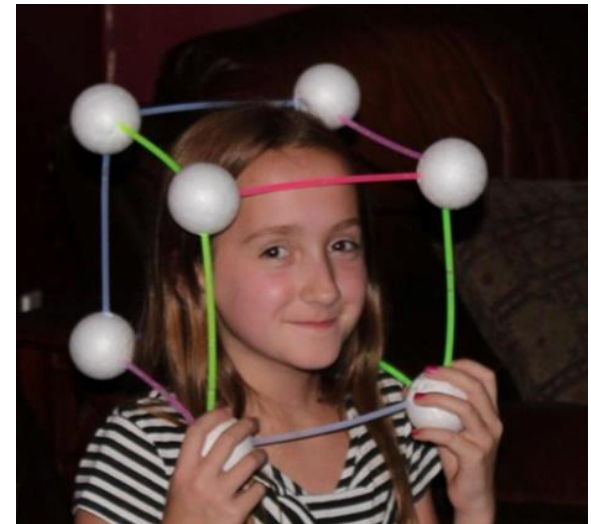
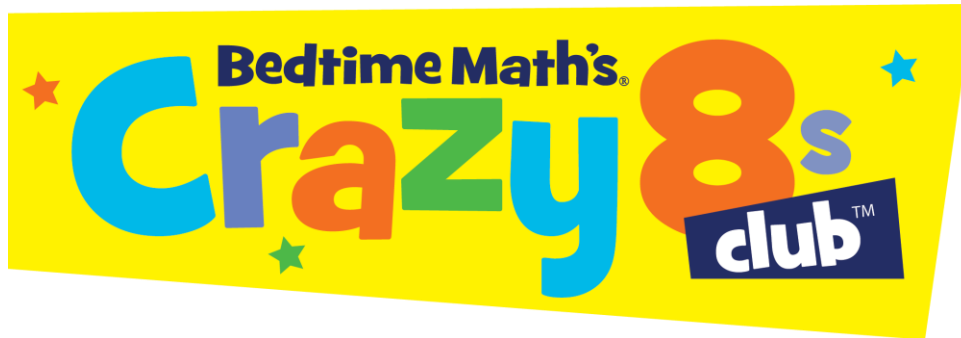


\* U. Chicago, 2015

# 2014: Crazy 8s Club

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- Hands-on math after school
- Weekly themes: Spy Training, Epic Air Traffic Control, Pixel-Palooza
- 24+ weeks of activities for grades K-2, 3-5
- More than 13,000 clubs so far, serving 160,000 kids



# The Current Crisis: Helping Families Cope

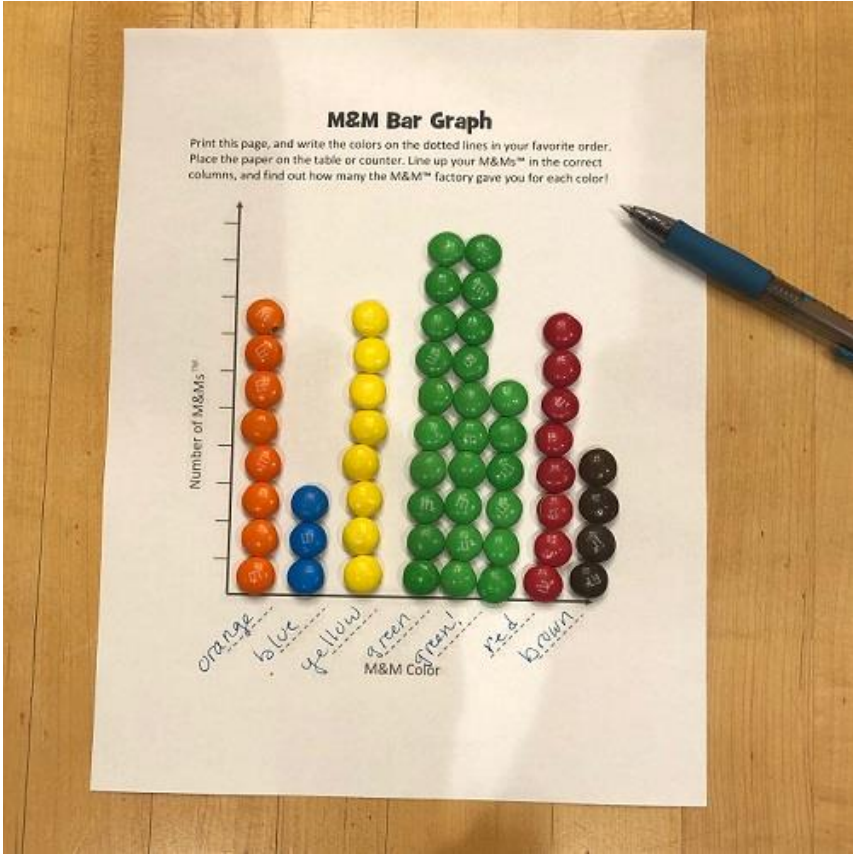
- Bedtime Math: Nightly math for the whole family
  - Free for all: app/email/Facebook
  - Exploring creation of video series
  
- Cabin Fever Math: Hands-on math at home
  - Retooled games from Crazy 8s math club
  - Activities work with 1 or 2 kids
  - Off-screen: gets kids up and moving!

# Beach Ball Party

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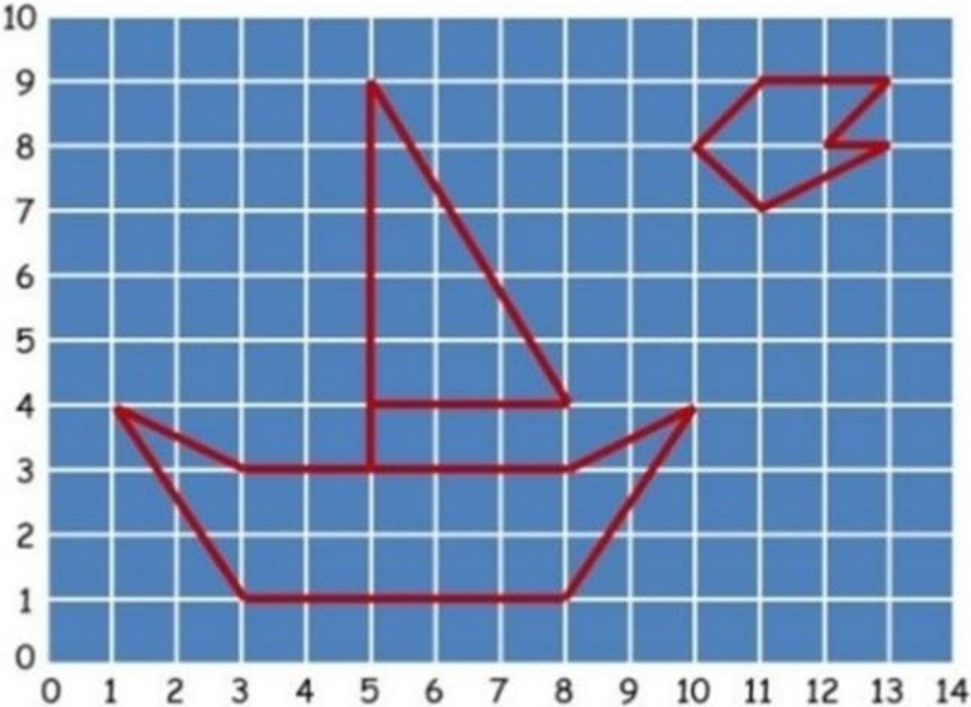


# M&M March Madness



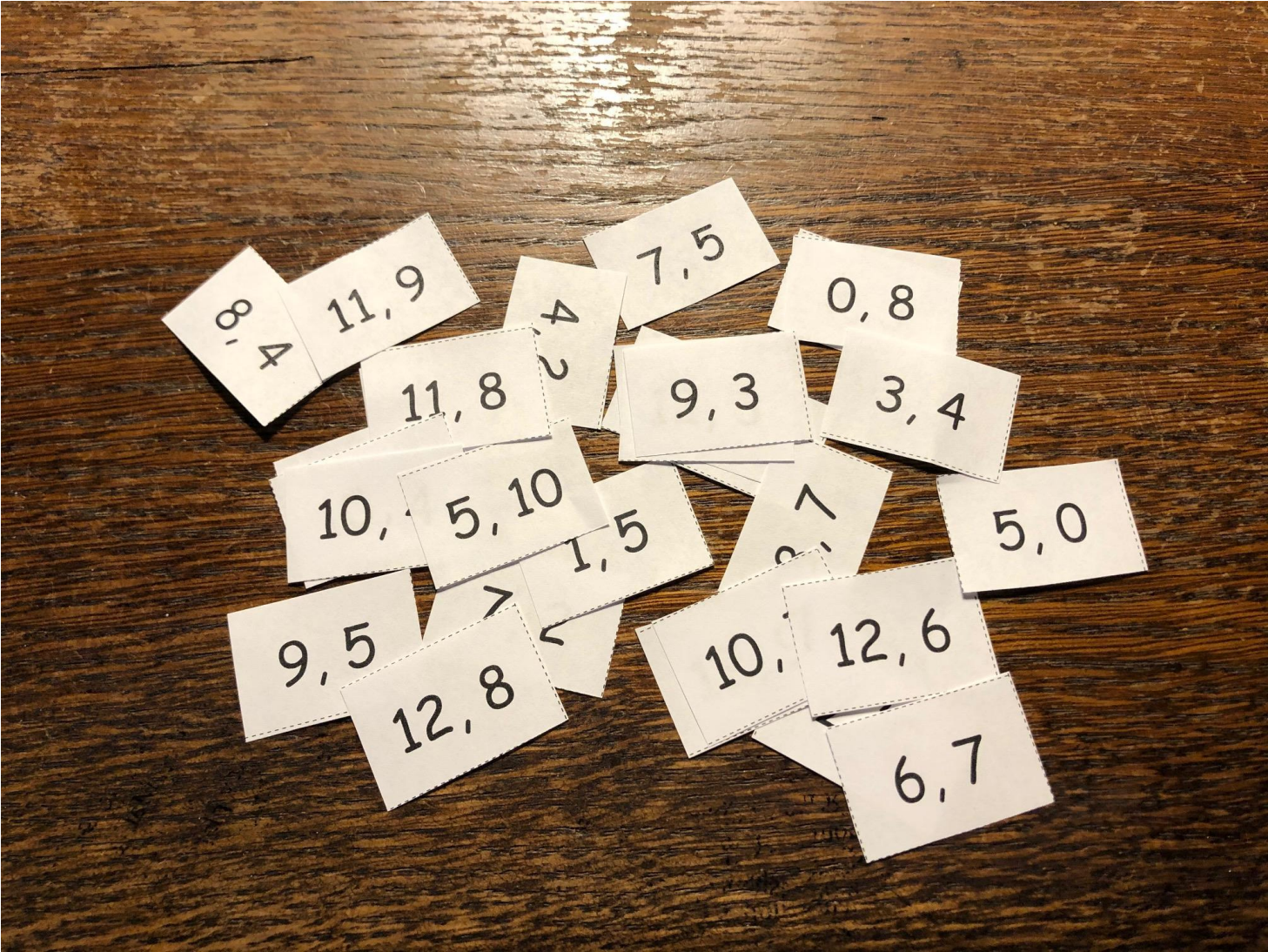
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# Get a Jump On It!

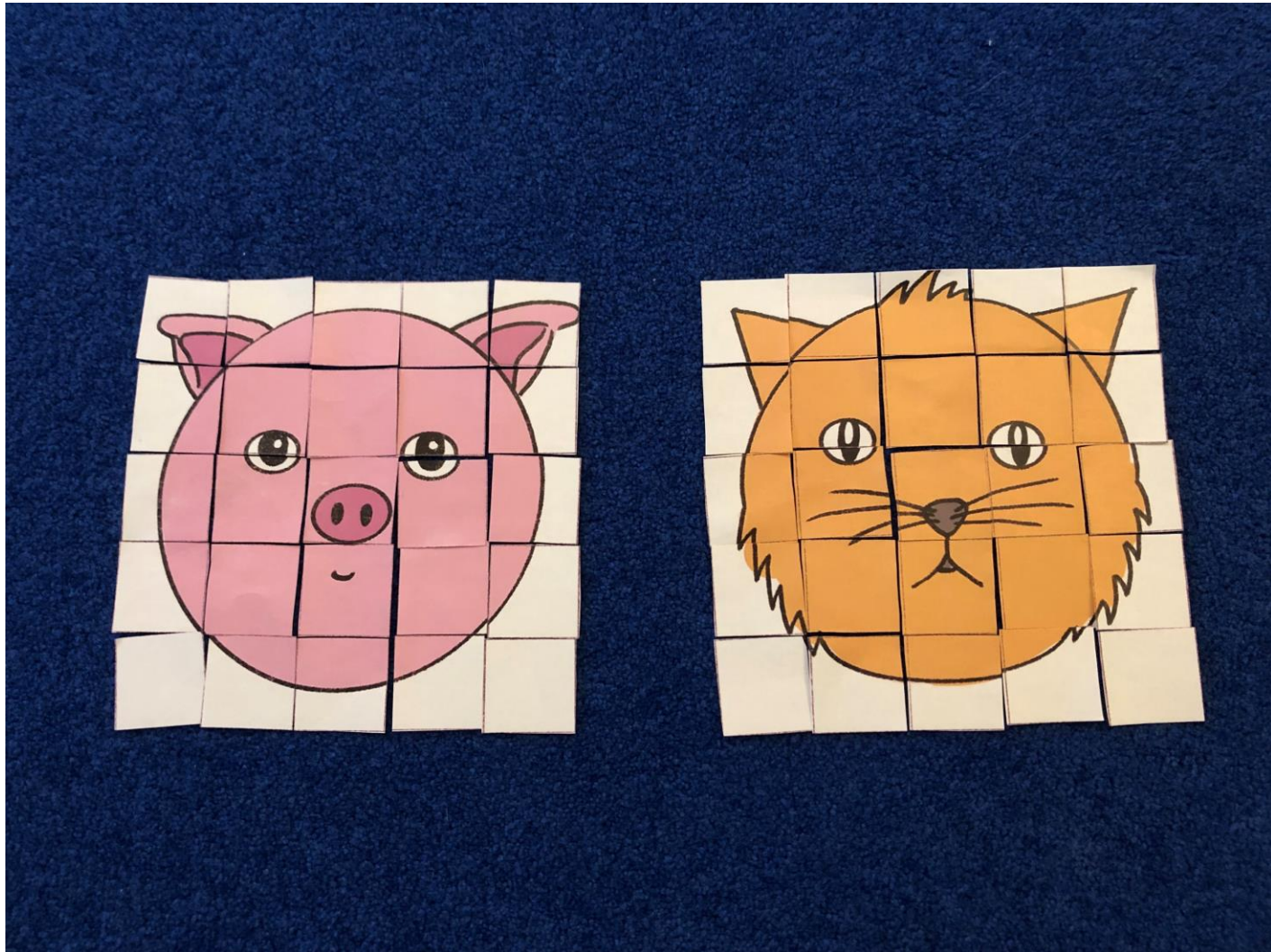
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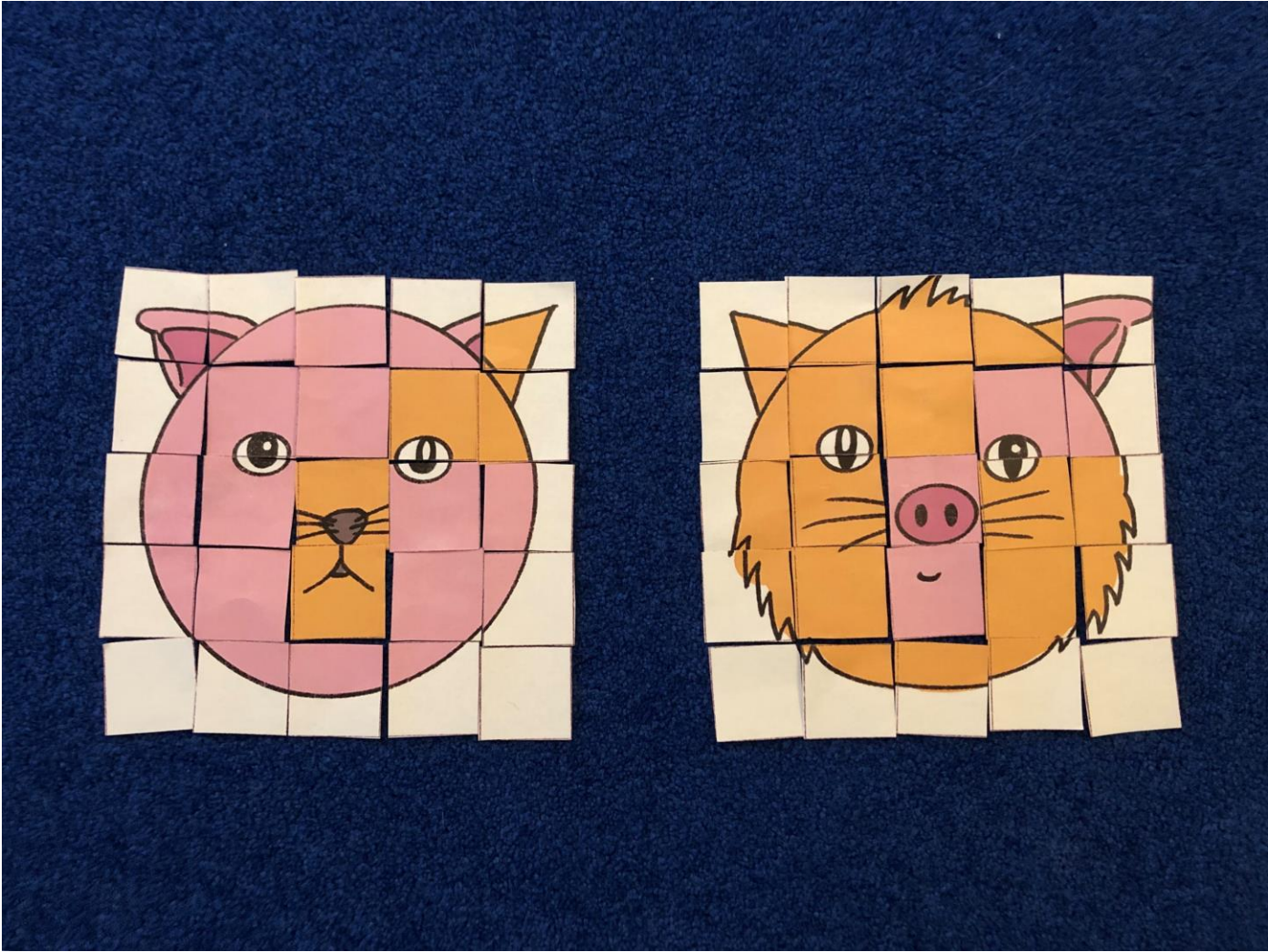
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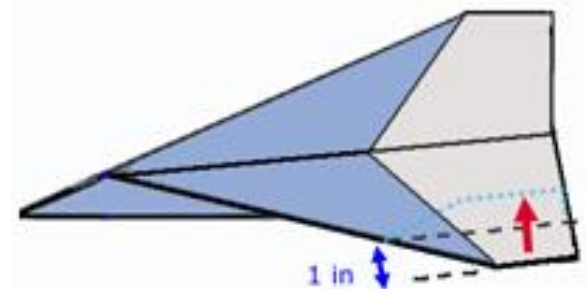
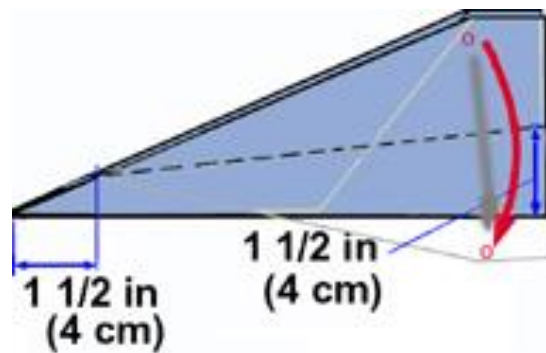
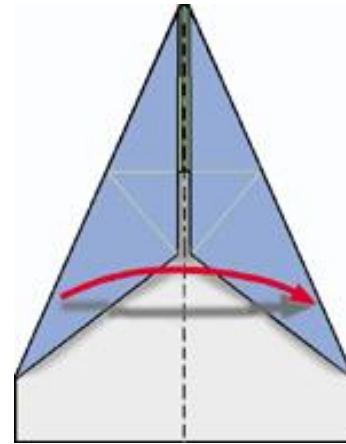
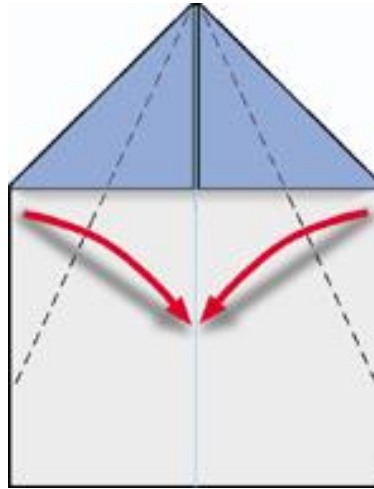
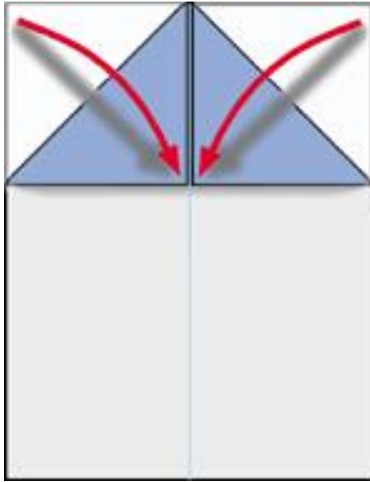
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# Take Flight

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# Funny Money

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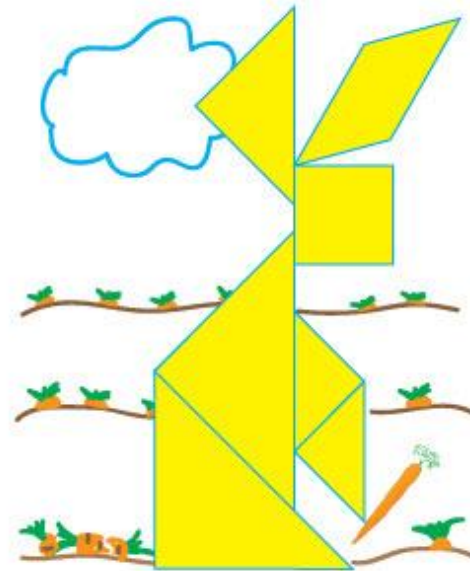
# Cabin Fever Math

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- More games on our Cabin Fever Math page:

<http://bedtimemath.org/fun-math-at-home/>

- Adding more regularly!



# For Educators Long-Term: Fun Factor

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- Standards-aligned, in-class activities
- Professional development for teachers
- Three key goals:
  - Uncover strategies to make math instruction engaging.
  - Explore nontraditional instructional approaches that serve different styles of learners effectively.
  - Identify creative ways to fill gaps and provide greater challenges.
- To learn more, visit [bedtimemath.org/fun-factor/](https://bedtimemath.org/fun-factor/)

# Starting with Fun and Rolling in Math

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- Build on ideas and activities kids already love
- Engaging kids where they are
- Appealing to all types of learners

We want every kid  
in America to rock  
at math!





# Questions?

Feel free to send questions and ideas to  
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